IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Amend the specification as follows:

On page 1, line 1, and on page 15, line 2, amend the Title as set forth below:

~~SYSTEM,~~ A METHOD~~, AND APPARATUS FOR HANDLE FREE FINGER FIXTURE FOR SINGLE SLIDER POST ROW PART DEBONDING PROCESS~~

OF HANDLING A WORKPIECE

[0015] The fixture 31 moves between an open position (**Figure 5**) and a closed position (**Figures 3 and 4**). In the closed position, the second set of platforms 41 and all of the workpieces [[33b]] 33c are slightly spaced apart, interleaved, and aligned with the first set of platforms 37. In the open position (**Figure 5**), the second set of platforms 41 and said other ones of the workpieces 33c are further spaced apart from (than when in the [[open]] closed position) and misaligned with the first set of platforms 37 and the workpieces 33b.

[0025] A ~~system, method, and apparatus~~ for handling workpieces such as hard disk drive sliders during a debonding process uses a fixture having two sets of finger-like projections that are interleaved. The sets are movable relative to each other to space apart the sliders after they are processed from their original row configuration. The post-processing separation is required to properly debond the sliders. The fingers on each set are closely interleaved to reduce the amount of displacement required to adequately separate the sliders for debonding. After the sliders are displaced, they are directly debonded into the inspection trays. This design eliminates the need for manual handling of the workpieces during these phases of manufacturing.